## TAMARACK COUNTRY CLUB

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SB 590

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Public Health Committee Connecticut General Assembly Legislative Office Building 3000 Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Committee Chair.

I write to you in the capacity of a member of the Connecticut Club Managers Association, a group of 125 private clubs that was founded in 1942 to promote the profession of clubs in the State of Connecticut. One of our missions is to advance and deliver innovative products and services to our members.

It has come to my attention that this coming Friday, February 20, 2015, The Public Health Committee will hold a public hearing in regards to bill SB No.590 to permit the commercial use of Sous Vide. On behalf of other General Managers and Executive Chefs in the state of Connecticut, we request that the committee look favorably on passing this bill. If passed, our segment of the food industry can catch up to the many other states that have already embraced this art of cooking.

If you require any additional material to support this request please let me know. Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Brian Gillespie General Manager

Tamarack Country Club